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Re: Inventors: Mick Henniger, Kelvin Shih-Tai Liu, Ming Chi Chen, Ramesh Srinivasan, Severin Baer, Sanjoy Dey, Smita Kiran Rane
Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR USING A DEVELOPMENT PORT FOR BOOT UP
Application No.: 09/499,598
Examiner: Hassan Mahmoudi
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Group Art Unit: 2165
Docket No.: CIS0149US

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page, in duplicate)
- (3) Response To Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (6 pages)



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Total Claims	14	Minus	20	=	0	x	\$ 18.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	3	Minus	3	=	0	x	\$ 86.00	\$	0.00
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated February 9, 2006, having a shortened statutory period set to expire March 9, 2006.

A listing of the claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.